UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

AMY RIVERA, Administratrix of the Estate of Shadiaman Huacom,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 03-12435-RWZ

STIPULATION

The parties to this action, through their undersigned counsel, hereby stipulate that the defendants shall have up to and including Wednesday, March 3, 2004, in which to answer or otherwise respond to the Complaint. The parties further state that they are using the time to research background issues regarding the case.

Respectfully submitted,

For the Plaintiff,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Suffolk, ss.

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I, Rayford A. Farquhar, Assistant U.S. Attorney, do hereby certify that I have served a copy of the foregoing upon plaintiff's counsel of record, Albert L. Farrah, Jr., The Law Office of Albert L. Farrah, Jr., One Washington Mall, 5th Floor, Boston, MA 02108.

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LOCAL RULE 7.1 CERTIFICATION

On February 17, 2004 I certify that I spoke with Albert L. Farrah, Jr., Esq. and he assented to the filing of this Motion.

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